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1. In 1944-45, shortly after the Berling Army entered Poland, General ROLA-ZYMIERSKI proposed that the disputed territory of Gieszyn (Teschen) be taken away from the Czechs by force. ZYMIERSKI's plan called for taking over the entire Gieszyn territory to regain the 1939 status of this area. The plan was drawn up in the offices of the Chief of Staff, KORCZYK, and only through the intercession of the Russians were ZYMIERSKI and KORCZYK dissuaded from taking the action.
2. The taking over of Gieszyn and its subsequent occupation and administration were written up in detail by ZYMIERSKI, and these documents are still on file in the Ministry of National Defense.

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